

WAC 296-307-636 Summary.

Your responsibility:

To conduct audiometric testing of employees exposed to noise to make sure that their hearing protection is effective.

You must:

Provide audiometric testing at no cost to employees

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Establish a baseline audiogram for each exposed employee

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Conduct annual audiograms

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Review audiograms that indicate a standard threshold shift

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Keep the baseline audiogram without revision, unless annual audiograms indicate a persistent threshold shift or a significant improvement in hearing

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Make sure a record is kept of audiometric tests

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Make sure audiometric testing equipment meets these requirements

WAC 296-307-63635.

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